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BEFORE THE

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application of Madison Gas and Electric Company for Authority to Change Electric and Natural Gas Rates

3270-UR-110

NOTICE OF REHEARING AND REOPENING

Direct Testimony Due: Tuesday, April 17, 2001 – Noon

Rebuttal Testimony Due: Thursday, April 19, 2001– Noon

Hearing Date: Friday, April 20, 2001–9:00 a.m.

Hearing Location: Public Service Commission, 610 North Whitney Way,

Madison, WI

On March 16, 2001, the Commission received an application from Madison Gas and Electric Company (MGE) to rehear the Commission's March 13, 2001, order denying MGE's request to raise rates for electric service under Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 116 (Fuel Rules) to consider new facts regarding MGE's fuel costs and a petition to reopen the Commission's December 22, 2000, final decision in MGE's last full rate case to reconsider the approved method by which the cost of natural gas shall be forecasted for purposes of monitoring these costs under the Fuel Rules. The Commission hereby grants both of MGE's requests.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that a hearing will be held beginning on Friday, April 20, 2001, at 9:00 a.m. in the Amnicon Falls Hearing Room at the Public Service Commission Building, 610 North Whitney Way, Madison, Wisconsin, and continuing at times to be set by the presiding Administrative Law Judge. This building is accessible to people in wheelchairs through the Whitney Way first floor (lobby) entrance. Parking for people with disabilities is available on the south side of the building. Any person with a disability who needs additional accommodations should contact the case coordinator listed below.

Any party to either the full rate case in this docket or the subsequent Fuel Rules case is a party to this rehearing and reopening. Any other person desiring to become a party shall file a request pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(2m) and Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 2.32(3) no later than 7 days from the date of this notice. The request shall be addressed to Administrative Law Judge David C. Whitcomb, Public Service Commission of Wisconsin, P.O. Box 7854, Madison, Wisconsin 53707-7854.

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This is a Class 1 proceeding as defined in Wis. Stat. § 227.01(3)(a).

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Questions from the media may be directed to Jeffrey L. Butson, Public Affairs Director at (608) 267-0912.

Questions regarding this matter may be directed to case coordinator Randy Hillebrand at (608) 267-1473.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin,	
By the Commission:	
Lynda L. Dorr	
Secretary to the Commission	

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